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Application No.: 09/895,457 Examiner: Nguyen, Nga B Filed: June 29, 2001 Group/Art Unit: 3692 Inventors: Atty. Dkt. No: 5596-00301 Nobuyoshi Morimoto Title: System and Method for Negotiating Improved Terms for Products and Services Being Purchased through the Internet

## **REQUEST FOR REFUND**

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Please let this serve as a formal request for a refund of the Request for Continued Examination fees in the amount of \$405.00, associated with the RCE filed on December 28, 2009. Applicant inadvertently paid large entity fees when Applicant is a small entity.

Applicant respectfully requests a refund in the amount of \$405.00 to deposit account no. 501505/5596-00301/RCK. If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned agent.

Respectfully submitted,

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